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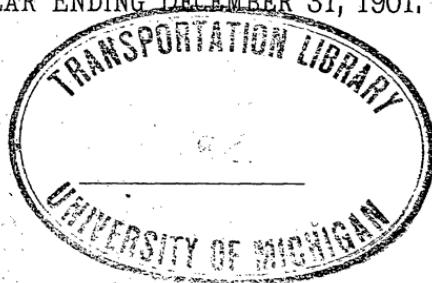
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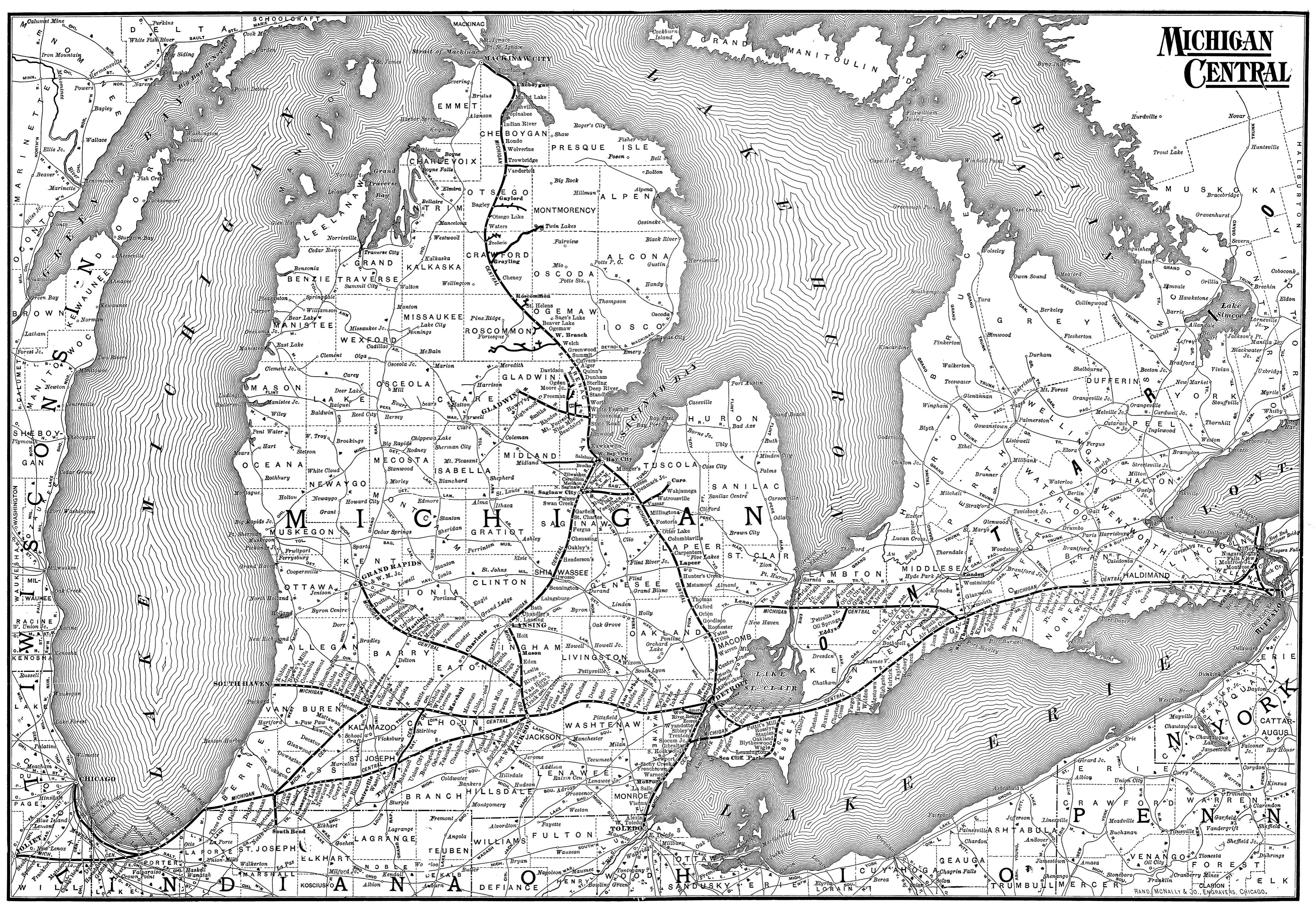


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ORGANIZATION.

DECEMBER 31ST, 1901.

DIRECTORS.

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NEW YORK CITY.

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NEW YORK CITY.

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HENRY B. LEDYARD.

VICE-PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY,
EDWIN D. WORCESTER.

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CHARLES F. COX.

AUDITOR,
A. JUDSON BURT.

GENERAL OFFICES.

NEW YORK CITY, GRAND CENTRAL STATION.

DETROIT, MICH., FOOT OF THIRD STREET.

CHICAGO, ILL., MONADNOCK BUILDING.

ANNUAL MEETING,

THURSDAY FOLLOWING THE FIRST WEDNESDAY IN MAY.

Stock Transferred, Grand Central Station, New York.

Coupons paid by Union Trust Company, New York.

REPORT.

NEW YORK, April 1, 1902.

To the Stockholders of the Michigan Central Railroad Company:

The Board of Directors submits herewith the fifty-sixth annual report, being for the year ending December 31st, 1901.

CAPITAL STOCK.

The Capital Stock remains unchanged; it is \$18,738,000.

FUNDED DEBT.

During the year the Trustees of the Land Grant Fund of the Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Company purchased and cancelled \$61,000 in the Consolidated Mortgage 5 per cent. Bonds of that Company. This left outstanding of that issue \$1,600,000, which became due on September 1st, 1901.

In order to provide means for the payment thereof, and to refund to this Company an amount of \$400,000 expended by it in constructing two branches for the Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw, a mortgage was made by that Company to secure an issue of \$2,000,000 in 3½ per cent. 50 Year Gold Bonds; which bonds, as had been done in all previous cases of leased lines, were made the direct bonds of this Company. The annual saving in interest by this transaction is \$13,050.

ROAD OPERATED.

	MILES.	
	Main Track.	Second Track.
MAIN LINE.		
Michigan Central System	1,200.44	173.38
Canada Southern System	457.30	134.71
Total	1,657.74	308.09

The table of tracks herewith shows total miles of road to be 1,643.74, which, plus 14 miles of trackage right on the Illinois Central

R. R. from Kensington to Chicago, equals the 1,657.74, as stated above. In addition to the 1,643.74 miles of main track and 308.09 miles of second track included in the joint system, there are 1,023.87 miles of side track, aggregating a track mileage of 2,975.70 miles, of which 2,858.39 miles are laid with steel and 117.31 miles with iron rails.

CONSTRUCTION.

No charge has been made during the year to this Company's own Construction Account.

Against the bonds issued on behalf of the Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Company, as stated on preceding page, the Construction Account of Leased Lines has been increased to correspond—less, however, a credit to that account of \$113,818.52, and to the Construction Account of Proprietary Lines of \$176,739, being a total of \$290,557.52—for a part of the \$400,000 received for constructing the two branches, as stated, which part of cost had, when expended, been charged to those accounts.

EARNINGS.

The earnings are as follows:

	1901.	1900.
From freight	\$12,858,455 34	\$11,876,036 95
" passenger	4,644,229 81	3,889,756 17
" mail	417,826 01	418,098 51
" express	501,899 24	472,917 58
" miscellaneous	67,863 25	73,321 97
Total	\$18,490,273 65	\$16,730,131 18

showing an increase of \$1,760,000.

The freight traffic shows an increase in tons moved one mile of 73,550,830, and an increase in earnings of \$982,418. The rate per ton per mile shows an increase in cents from 0.592 to 0.618, or 0.026.

The passenger traffic shows an increase of 50,962,836 in passengers moved one mile, and an increase of \$754,474 in earnings. The rate per passenger per mile shows a decrease in cents from 2.194 to 2.034, or 0.160.

EXPENSES.

The gross operating expenses are as follows :

	1901.	1900.
Expenses.....	\$14,237,831 06	\$12,762,284 58
Taxes.....	508,132 90	467,205 77
Expenses and Taxes.....	\$14,745,963 96	\$13,229,490 35

showing an increase of \$1,516,000.

The construction of the second track between Ypsilanti and Dexter, 17.50 miles, was completed during the year 1901, and \$180,000 set aside from the surplus of the year to the credit of the special fund for the construction of this piece of road, making the total cost \$395,000. This work has been very expensive considering the length thereof, due to the relocation of the line at several points, thereby reducing the curvature, and on account of the large number of iron bridges constructed—16 in number.

In addition to the above, \$30,000 has also been deducted from the surplus income and credited to a special fund for the construction of a second track from Jackson to Niles.

During the year the Caro Branch of the Bay City Division was extended from Caro to Owendale, to a junction with the Pontiac, Oxford & Northern Railroad, a distance of 20.73 miles.

Just prior to the close of the last fiscal year, the Canada Southern Railway Company, under its agreement with, and at the request of this Company, sold \$72,000 of its First Mortgage Bonds and \$350,000 of its Second Mortgage Bonds, realizing therefrom \$452,000. Of this amount \$337,000 was expended in the construction of a second track,

From Cayuga to Hagersville.....	9.92 miles
" Dutton to Bismarck.....	6.53 "
" Tilbury to Essex.	<u>21.05</u> "
Or a total of.....	37.50 "

leaving a balance of \$115,000 which will be used as far as it may be available during the coming year in the construction of a second track from Bismarck to Ridgetown, a distance of about 18.25 miles.

The cost of all betterments and additions to the property, excepting the \$210,000 as above stated, set aside out of Net Revenue of 1901,

and credited to a special fund for the construction of second track between Ypsilanti and Dexter, and Jackson and Niles, is included in this account.

OPERATING RESULTS.

The result of the year's operation is shown by the following statement :

Gross earnings from traffic.....	\$18,490,273 65
Operating expenses and taxes.....	14,745,963 96
Net earnings.....	\$3,744,309 69
Interest and rentals.....	2,455,513 69
Residue.....	\$1,288,796 00
Paid the Canada Southern Railway Company its proportion of the net income, as per agreement	375,238 40
Net revenue from traffic.....	\$913,557 60
Income from investments.....	69,738 78
Total net revenue (per share \$5.25).....	\$983,296 38
Dividend: Two per cent., paid July 29, 1901.....	\$374,760 00
Dividend: Two per cent., paid January 29, 1902	374,760 00
	\$749,520 00
Additional amount set aside in special account for construction of a second track between Ypsilanti and Dexter and Jackson and Niles.....	210,000 00
	\$959,520 00
Balance.....	<u><u>\$23,776 38</u></u>

By order of the Board of Directors.

CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW,
Chairman.

H. B. LEDYARD,
President.

EARNINGS AND EXPENSES.

1900.	EARNINGS.	1901.
\$11,876,036 95	Freight	\$12,858,455 34
3,889,756 17	Passenger	4,644,229 81
418,098 51	Mail	417,826 01
472,917 58	Express	501,899 24
73,321 97	Miscellaneous.....	67,863 25
\$16,730,131 18	Total.....	\$18,490,273 65
	EXPENSES.	
\$2,643,616 85	Maintenance of way and structures	\$3,442,289 51
2,406,879 90	Maintenance of equipment	2,764,761 87
7,368,608 93	Conducting transportation	7,753,993 00
343,178 90	General expenses	276,786 68
\$12,762,284 58	Total.....	\$14,237,831 06
467,205 77	Taxes	508,132 90
\$13,229,490 35	Total, including taxes.....	\$14,745,963 96
\$3,500,640 83	NET EARNINGS.	\$3,744,309 69
	PER CENT. OF EXPENSES TO EARNINGS.	
79.08	Including taxes.....	79.75
76.28	Excluding taxes	77.00

INCOME ACCOUNT.

1901.	1901.	1901.
Dec. 31.		
Operating Expenses and Taxes.....	\$14,745.963 96	
Interest—Main Line.....	\$660,000 00	Balance from 1900.....
" Leased Lines.....	569,550 00	Freight Earnings.....
" " Canada Southern 1,041,700 00		\$12,858,455 34
Rental Leased Lines.....	184,263 69	Passenger Earnings.....
	<u>2,455,513 69</u>	4,644,229 81
Canada Southern R'y—Proportion of Net		Mail Earnings.....
Income as per Agreement.....	375,238 40	417,826 01
Dividends:		Express Earnings.....
July 29th, 1901, 2%..	\$374,760 00	501,899 24
January 29th, 1902, 2%..	374,760 00	Miscellaneous Earnings.....
	<u>749,520 00</u>	67,863 25
		<u>18,490,273 65</u>
		Income from Investments.....
		69,738 78
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Special Account :		
New Second Track	210,000 00	
Balance	<u>2,654,301 90</u>	
		<u>\$21,190,537 95</u>

C. F. COX,
Treasurer.

CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET.

December 31, 1901.

C. F. COX,
Treasurer.

FUNDED DEBT, INTEREST, RENTS, ETC.

DESCRIPTION.	FUNDED DEBT.		
	DATE OF ISSUE.	DATE OF MATURITY.	AMOUNT.
THIS COMPANY'S BONDS.			
Consolidated First Mortgage.....	May 1, 1872	May 1, 1902	\$8,000,000 00
Consolidated First Mortgage (five per cents).....	Nov. 1, 1882	May 1, 1902	2,000,000 00
Grand River Valley First Mortgage.....	Sept. 1, 1879	Sept. 1, 1909	500,000 00
Grand River Valley First Mortgage.....	Mar. 1, 1886	Sept. 1, 1909	1,000,000 00
Detroit & Bay City First Mortgage.....	Mar. 1, 1881	Mar. 1, 1931	3,576,000 00
Kalamazoo & South Haven First Mortgage.....	Nov. 1, 1889	Nov. 1, 1939	700,000 00
Michigan Air Line First Mortgage.....	Jan. 1, 1890	Jan. 1, 1940	2,600,000 00
Terminal Railroad First Mortgage.....	July 1, 1896	July 1, 1941	725,000 00
Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw First Mortgage.....	Sept. 1, 1901	Sept. 1, 1951	2,000,000 00
Total.....			<u>\$21,101,000 00</u>
LEASED LINE BONDS.			
Bay City & Battle Creek First Mortgage.....	Dec. 1, 1889	Dec. 1, 1989	\$250,000 00
Battle Creek & Sturgis First Mortgage.....	Dec. 1, 1889	Dec. 1, 1989	421,000 00
Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Rental.....			
Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Expenses.....			
Grand River Valley Rental.....			
Joliet & Northern Indiana Rental.....			
Total.....			<u>\$671,000 00</u>
GUARANTEED BONDS.			
Detroit & Bay City.....	May 1, 1872	May 1, 1902	\$274,000 00
Detroit & Bay City (Bridge).....	May 1, 1873	May 1, 1903	150,000 00
Total.....			<u>\$424,000 00</u>
Total Michigan Central.....			<u>\$22,196,000 00</u>
CANADA SOUTHERN BONDS.			
First Mortgage.....	Jan. 1, 1878	Jan. 1, 1908	\$14,000,000 00
Second Mortgage.....	Feb. 15, 1883	Mar. 1, 1913	6,000,000 00
Leamington & St. Clair.....	Oct. 1, 1895	Oct. 1, 1945	130,000 00
Total Canada Southern.....			<u>\$20,130,000 00</u>
GRAND TOTAL.....			<u>\$43,326,000 00</u>

FUNDED DEBT, INTEREST, RENTS, ETC.

INTEREST AND RENTS PAYABLE.

RATE	AMOUNT.	Jan. 1st.	Mar. 1st.	May 1st.	June 1st.	July 1st.	Sept. 1st.	Nov. 1st.	Dec. 1st.
7 %	\$560,000 00			280,000 00				280,000 00	
5 %	100,000 00			50,000 00				50,000 00	
6 %	30,000 00		15,000 00				15,000 00		
6 %	60,000 00		30,000 00				30,000 00		
5 %	178,800 00		56,462 50		32,937 50		56,462 50		32,937 50
5 %	35,000 00			17,500 00				17,500 00	
4 %	104,000 00	52,000 00				52,000 00			
4 %	29,000 00	14,500 00				14,500 00			
3 1/2 %	70,000 00		35,000 00				35,000 00		
.....	\$1,166,800 00								
3 %	\$7,500 00				3,750 00				3,750 00
3 %	12,630 00				6,315 00				6,315 00
.....	70,000 00		35,000 00				35,000 00		
.....	750 00		375 00				375 00		
.....	24,560 00	12,280 00				12,280 00			
.....	89,000 00	Jan. 10th.				July 10th.			
.....		44,500 00				44,500 00			
.....	\$204,440 00								
8 %	\$21,920 00			10,960 00				10,960 00	
8 %	12,000 00			6,000 00				6,000 00	
.....	\$33,920 00								
.....	\$1,405,160 00	123,280 00	171,837 50	364,460 00	43,002 50	123,280 00	171,837 50	364,460 00	43,002 50
5 %	\$700,000 00	350,000 00				350,000 00			
5 %	300,000 00		150,000 00				150,000 00		
4 %	5,200 00		Apr. 1st.				Oct. 1st.		
.....	\$1,005,200 00	350,000 00	152,600 00			350,000 00	152,600 00		
.....	\$2,410,360 00	473,280 00	324,437 50	364,460 00	43,002 50	473,280 00	324,437 50	364,460 00	43,002 50

C. F. COX,
Treasurer.

DETAIL OF OPERATING EXPENSES.

1900	1901	Increase.	Decrease.
Maintenance of Way and Structures.			
\$77,602 32	\$78,382 64	\$780 32	.....
2,884 99	3,190 17	305 18	.....
113,059 87	141,748 36	28,688 49	.....
355,705 93	351,664 24	4,041 69	.....
27,490 69	15,493 13	12,027 56	.....
1,180,160 07	1,691,094 43	510,934 36	.....
298,312 68	501,456 06	203,143 38	.....
48,498 16	53,082 90	4,584 74	.....
137,204 82	105,134 72	32,070 10	.....
240,415 00	325,422 66	85,007 66	.....
24,604 36	32,070 56	7,466 20	.....
23,539 52	23,884 40	344 88	.....
20,615 10	20,819 02	203 92	.....
1,253 54	912 35	.....	341 19
66,661 93	70,732 21	4,070 23	.....
19,296 68	21,157 87	1,861 19	.....
6,311 14	6,073 79	.....	237 35
Maintenance of Equipment.			
62,319 67	65,547 42	3,227 75	.....
3,443 79	3,804 07	360 28	.....
1,016,336 64	1,304,611 06	348,274 42	.....
233,886 62	250,552 23	16,971 61	.....
946,324 25	919,699 70	.....	26,625 55
25,575 18	26,445 57	870 39	.....
24,503 43	46,082 03	21,578 60	.....
46,547 39	34,110 04	.....	12,437 35
14,951 41	16,039 66	1,988 25	.....
7,405 71	9,305 69	1,899 98	.....
26,339 17	26,817 15	477 98	.....
452 64	1,748 25	1,295 61	.....
Conducting Transportation.			
158,754 86	164,551 30	5,796 44	.....
79,867 11	87,751 04	7,983 93	.....
950,001 74	1,035,273 28	85,271 54	.....
99,110 43	103,376 21	4,265 78	.....
224,522 33	238,180 61	1,602 28	.....
1,183,192 51	1,220,934 24	37,741 73	.....
7,119 59	7,920 45	806 86	.....
1,257,306 76	1,323,742 16	66,435 40	.....
52,497 51	61,446 61	8,949 10	.....
831,627 08	835,256 35	3,629 27	.....
70,366 89	61,808 43	.....	8,558 46
525,467 13	539,693 24	14,226 11	.....
124,432 86	136,779 66	12,337 80	.....
81,881 85	90,370 10	8,488 25	.....
85,603 94	95,454 34	9,850 40	.....
4,839 81	5,061 16	221 35	187 50
7,931 75	7,744 25	.....	8,458 86
64,770 86	66,857 18	2,086 32	.....
578,598 73	570,139 87	.....	3,526 26
55,632 33	52,106 07	.....	.....
21,828 15	34,917 62	13,089 47	.....
50,248 92	50,766 26	30,520 34	.....
341,256 18	365,136 04	23,879 86	.....
479,221 08	533,692 92	54,471 84	.....
6,297 52	10,542 44	4,244 92	.....
26,231 01	24,497 17	.....	1,733 84
General Expenses.			
167,840 80	168,766 87	929 07	.....
3,998 33	4,507 89	509 56	.....
7,835 50	8,654 75	819 19	.....
269 20	407 40	138 20	.....
67,043 53	70,747 93	3,704 40	.....
1,059 10	1,015 71	.....	43 39
467,205 77	508,132 90	40,927 13	.....
95,132 38	22,683 13	.....	72,449 25
\$13,229,490 35	..... Total	\$14,745,963 96	\$1,516,473 61

FREIGHT STATISTICS.

	1901.			1900.		
	Tons moved.	Rate per ton per mile. Cents.	Earnings. Cents.	Tons moved.	Tons moved one mile.	Rate per ton per mile. Cents.
THROUGH:						
Eastward.....	1,509,312	688,952,555	0.453	\$3,123,250 24	1,592,566	731,277,205
Westward.....	586,183	282,236,150	0.464	1,308,289 95	510,283	238,988,185
Total Through.....	2,095,495	971,188,705	0.456	\$4,431,540 19	2,102,849	970,265,390
LOCAL.....	9,152,716	1,108,464,965	0.760	8,426,915 15	8,264,669	1,035,837,450
TOTAL.....	11,248,211	2,079,653,670	0.618	\$12,858,455 34	10,367,518	2,006,102,840
Increase.....	880,693	73,550,830	0.026	\$982,418 39	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

PASSENGER STATISTICS

	1901.			1900.		
	Passengers moved.	Passengers moved one mile.	Earnings, Cents.	Passengers moved.	Passengers moved one mile.	Earnings, Cents.
THROUGH:						
Eastward	45,377	23,511,979	1.682	\$395,496.50	30,598	15,743,408
Westward	45,198	23,326,612	1.713	389,573.84	29,157	14,958,136
Immigrant	4,157	2,184,658	1.212	26,473.61	2,226	1,174,608
Total	94,732	49,023,249	1.675	\$821,543.95	61,981	31,856,452
LOCAL	3,305,343	179,270,316	2.132	3,822,685.86	2,950,312	145,474,277
TOTAL	3,400,075	228,293,565	2.034	\$4,644,229.81	3,012,293	177,339,729
Increase	387,782	50,962,836	.....	\$754,473.64	.....	2.194
Decrease.....	.....	.....	0.160	.....	.....	.....

TRACK DEPARTMENT.

MAIN LINE.

Miles of Road.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL—		
Kensington to Detroit	.....	270.07
CANADA SOUTHERN—		
Windsor to Suspension Bridge, N. Y.	.....	226.18
Total Main Line	496.25

BRANCHES.

MICHIGAN AIR LINE RAILROAD—

Jackson to South Bend	115.16
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JOLIET & NORTHERN INDIANA RAILROAD—

Lake to Joliet	45.00
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GRAND RIVER VALLEY RAILROAD—

Rives Junction to Grand Rapids	83.79
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JACKSON, LANSING & SAGINAW RAILROAD—

Jackson to Mackinaw City	295.10
Grayling to Twin Lakes	27.80
Pinconning Bay to Gladwin (includes Branches)	62.31
	385.21

KALAMAZOO & SOUTH HAVEN RAILROAD—

Kalamazoo to South Haven	39.50
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DETROIT & BAY CITY RAILROAD—

Bay City Junction to Bay City	109.00
Detroit Belt Line	4.39
Denmark Junction to Saginaw	.....	16.75
Caro Junction to Owendale	.....	33.48
Bay City Water Street (spur)	.....	5.10
Bay City Belt Line (spur)	7.01
	175.73

BAY CITY & BATTLE CREEK RAILWAY—

West Bay City to Midland	18.00
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BATTLE CREEK & STURGIS RAILWAY—

Battle Creek to Findlay	33.80
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DETROIT, DELRAY & DEARBORN RAILROAD—

Delray to Dearborn	4.84
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TERMINAL RAILROAD—

Chappell to Union Stock Yards	10.16
State Line to Grasselli	5.18
	.....	15.34

Total Michigan Central Branches 916.37

TRACK DEPARTMENT.

BRANCHES—CONTINUED.		Miles of Road.
TOLEDO, CANADA SOUTHERN & DETROIT RAILWAY—		
West Detroit to Canada Southern Junction.....	55.87	
Toledo Belt Line	3.05	58.92
CANADA SOUTHERN BRIDGE COMPANY—		
Slocum Junction to Stony Island	3.66	
MICHIGAN MIDLAND & CANADA RAILWAY—		
Lenox to St. Clair.....	14.68	
CANADA SOUTHERN RAILWAY—		
Amherstburg to Essex Centre.....	16.83	
St. Clair Junction to Courtright.....	62.63	
Oil City to Eddy's.....	5.50	
Welland Junction to Bridgeburg.....	17.50	102.46
SARNIA, CHATHAM & ERIE RAILWAY—		
Petrolia Junction to Petrolia.....	7.00	
ERIE & NIAGARA RAILWAY—		
Niagara to Fort Erie.....	30.60	
LEAMINGTON & ST. CLAIR RAILWAY—		
Comber to Leamington	13.80	
	Total Canada Southern Branches.....	231.12
	Total Miles of Road	1,643.74

SECOND TRACK.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL—		
Between Kensington & Detroit	154.84	
CANADA SOUTHERN—		
Between Windsor and Suspension Bridge.....	132.36	
JACKSON, LANSING & SAGINAW—		
Between Lansing and North Lansing and at Saginaw and		
West Bay City.....	3.61	
DETROIT & BAY CITY—		
Bay City Junction to Milwaukee Junction	4.77	
TOLEDO, CANADA SOUTHERN & DETROIT—		
West Detroit to Exposition Switch.....	2.35	
TERMINAL RAILROAD—		
Chappell to Union Stock Yards	10.16	
	Total Second Track	308.09

SIDE TRACKS.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL SYSTEM.....	753.86	
CANADA SOUTHERN SYSTEM.....	270.01	
	Total Side Tracks	1,023.87
	Total Miles of Single Track	{ Steel .. 2,858.39 Iron .. 117.31

RENEWALS.

Tons of Steel Rails laid	10,000
Number of Ties replaced	675,137
Miles of Fence rebuilt	33.20
Miles of New Fence built.....	51.01

CAR DEPARTMENT.

PASSENGER EQUIPMENT.

	M. C.	C. S.	Total.
First class cars.....	123	54	177
Second class and smoking cars.....	29	21	50
Passenger, baggage and mail cars.....	19	7	26
Baggage, mail and express cars.....	14	4	18
Baggage and express cars.....	48	27	75
Postal cars.....	14	1	15
Dining-cars.....	8	3	11
Buffet cars.....	1	4	5
Total.....	256	121	377

FREIGHT EQUIPMENT.

Box cars.....	6,415	3,160	9,575
Stock cars.....	594	267	861
Refrigerator cars.....	83	34	117
Platform cars.....	2,071	379	2,450
Coal cars.....	688	156	844
Oil cars.....	....	35	35
Way cars.....	201	85	286
Boarding-cars.....	46	6	52
Tool cars.....	174	27	201
Logging trucks.....	10	....	10
	10,282	4,149	14,431
Total car equipment.....	10,538	4,270	14,808

The equipment, as above enumerated, was maintained at the following cost:

Passenger Cars.....	\$250,552 23
Freight Cars.....	919,698 70

and includes the following items:

CARS, NEW (Additional)—

1 Steam shovel,	2 Steam wrecking cranes.....	3
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CARS, NEW (to replace old cars, worn out)—

433 Flat cars,	3 Dining cars,	2 Boarding cars,
146 Furniture cars,	22 Way cars,	10 Logging trucks,
401 Merchandise cars,	3 Oil Tank cars,	1 Tool car,
100 Stock cars,	1 Baggage and Express car,	23 Coal cars..... 1,145

CARS RECEIVING GENERAL REPAIRS..... 1,489

NEW WHEELS—Iron.....	14,587
Steel-tire.....	242

NEW STEEL TIRES..... 388

NEW AXLES..... 2,372

LOCOMOTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MILES RUN BY LOCOMOTIVES:

Passenger trains	5,260,464
Freight trains	8,127,413
Working trains	513,782
Switching	5,112,273
Total	19,013,932
Average miles run per locomotive	41,028

COST PER MILE RUN:

Repairs	cents. 07.18
Service	" 06.42
Fuel	" 06.96
Oil and Waste	" 00.19
Total	" 20.75

FUEL CONSUMED BY LOCOMOTIVES:

Coal—719,487.9 tons, at \$1.835 per ton .....	.\$1,320,249 07
Wood—3,701 $\frac{1}{2}$ cords, at \$0.943 per cord	3,493 09
Total .....	.\$1,323,742 16
Miles run per ton of coal	26.43

LOCOMOTIVES PERFORMING SERVICE:

Owned by this Company	310
Owned by the Canada Southern Company	151
Total	461

The cost of maintenance was \$1,364,611.06, or an average of \$2,960.11 per locomotive, each making a mileage of 41,028 miles, and includes the following items of renewal:

Locomotives bought to replace old ones	41
Locomotives built to replace old ones	12
Locomotives receiving heavy repairs	241
New steel boilers, complete	2
New steel fire boxes	1
New tires	304
New driving wheels	6
New driving wheel axles	85
New truck and tender wheels	2,899
New truck and tender axles	163
New sets flues	10
New tender frames	4
Water scoop equipment	45
New tanks	3

RE PORT
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DETROIT, MICH., FEB. 1st, 1902.

MR. HENRY B. LEDYARD,
PRESIDENT MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD,
DETROIT, MICH.:

DEAR SIR—I respectfully submit herewith annual statement of the business of the Land Department of this Company for the year ending December 31st, 1901 :

LANDS AND SALES.

LANDS.	Acres.	Amount.
Unsold January 1st, 1901, according to patents, 157,752.69		
Restored to market in 1901. 238.05	157,990.74	
Sold during the year	6,883.87	
Unsold at the close of the year	151,106.87	
SALES.		
Lands		\$59,453 27
Total		\$59,453 27

LAND CONTRACTS.

Total amount due on contracts at the close of the year \$126,770 75

The sales for the last five years are as follows :

	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Acres sold	4,517.62	11,295.84	36,154.04	23,650.40	6,883.87
Average per acre	\$6 12	\$5 79	\$7 46	\$4 60	\$8 63
Land sales	\$27,666 71	\$65,408 82	\$269,867 93	\$107,152 70	\$59,453 27
Timber sales	3,925 00	900 00	2,317 06		
Total	\$31,591 71	\$66,308 82	\$272,184 99	\$107,152 70	\$59,453 27

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand January 1st, 1901.....	\$7,924 26
From Payments on Land Contracts and Sales.....	79,532 66
From Interest.....	11,051 60
From Trespass.....	413 07
Total.....	<u>\$98,921 59</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Deposited to the credit of Trustees.....	\$78,987 29
For Taxes.....	4,239 03
For Salaries and Commissions.....	3,615 24
For Explorations.....	663 57
For Legal Expenses.....	228 80
For Miscellaneous Expenses.....	428 10
Balance.....	<u>10,759 56</u>
Total.....	<u>\$98,921 59</u>

NATHANIEL E. SLAYMAKER,
Land Commissioner.

Messrs. Ledyard, Pond and Foy, Trustees.

Balance on hand end of 1900, as shown by report for that year.....	\$12 71
Amount received from Land Commissioner during 1901.....	<u>78,987 29</u>
Total.....	\$79,000 00
Bonds purchased and cancelled during 1901.....	61,000 00
Cash on hand December 31st, 1901	<u>\$18,000 00</u>

